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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: UNO et al. Examiner: J. Ortiz Criado
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Title: OPTICAL INFORMATION RECORDING MEDIUM, METHOD OF
RECORDING AND REPRODUCING, AND OPTICAL RECORDING/
REPRODUCING SYSTEM UTILIZING THE SAME
Customer No. 23552

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed December 18, 2003, said period of response being extended from March 18, 2004 to April 18, 2004.

Our check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee for a large entity.

Respectfully submitted,



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